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amendment to CIA bill**

Washington (AP)—Under pressure from his colleagues on the Senate Intelligence Committee, Sen. Daniel P. Moynihan (D-N.Y.) said yesterday he would abandon his efforts to prohibit CIA employment of journalists and bar its agents from posing as journalists.

Moynihan released to reporters a letter signed by the panel's chairman, Sen. Birch Bayh (D-Ind.), and five other committee members which urged their fellow senators to defeat Moynihan's measure.

Saying he "could not hope" to overcome that kind of opposition, Moynihan said he would offer and then withdraw his amendment when a Central Intelligence Agency "oversight" bill comes to the Senate floor this week. He said he at least wanted the issue debated.